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In re Appln. of: Hans-Jurgen Klishchat

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, §1.97, and §1.98; and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), Applicant hereby cites the following reference(s):

No.	Date of Publication	Patentee/Applicant/Assignee
DE 199 36 292 A1	2/15/01	Refractechnik Holding GmbH & Co. KG
DE 29 41 508 C2	11/24/83	Nippon Steel Corp.
DE 37 27 619 C1	11/24/88	Chamotte-und Tonwerk Kurt Hagenburger
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DE 42 30 161 A1	3/10/94	Veitsch Radex AG
DE 101 24 926 A1	11/28/02	Noack, Hans-Peter
DE 197 28 368 C1	3/4/99	Heller, Georg
JP 1-237049	9/21/89	Shin Nippon Kagaku Kogyo Co Ltd.
JP 10-258343	3/13/97	Nippon Steel Metal Prod Co Ltd.
JP 57-57824	4/7/82	Sakai Kagaku Kogyo KK

OTHER ART

K. Schwerdtfeger "Metallurgy of Continuous Casting", Verlag Stahleisen, Dusseldorf XP002264211, ISBN: 3-514-00350-5; Seite 236, Absatz 1; Tabelle 3.2.1

Applicant is enclosing Form PTO-1449 (one sheet), along with a copy of each listed reference for which a copy is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2) and a translated abstract provided by the European Patent Office as a concise explanation of the relevance of each listed reference for which such an explanation is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3).

Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner's consideration of the above reference(s) and entry thereof into the record of this application.

By submitting this Statement, Applicant is attempting to fully comply with the duty of candor and good faith mandated by 37 C.F.R. §1.56. As such, this Statement is not intended to constitute an admission that any of the enclosed references, or other information referred to therein, constitutes "prior art" or is otherwise "material to patentability," as that phrase is defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(a).

Applicant has calculated no fee to be due in connection with the filing of this Statement. However, the Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency associated with the filing of this Statement to a deposit account, as authorized in the Transmittal accompanying this Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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